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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This Amendment is made in response to the Advisory Action dated January 6, 2011. This Amendment is being filed within the shortened statutory period for reply and no fee is believed to be required. However, should the patent office deem a fee necessary, Applicants hereby grant authority to the Commissioner to charge such requisite fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2570. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other requisite fees for filing this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-2570.

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